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## ENCAMPMENT OVER.

End of the Veterans' Meeting at Buffalo.

## MEMBERS LEAVING FOR THEIR HOMES

The Balloting For Officers For the ensuing Year Was Quite Spirited. Full List of the Successful Candidates.

Buffalo, Aug. 28.—Last night found the Grand Army in retreat from Buffalo. The encampment of 1897 is over, and its comrades are leaving town as fast as the cars can carry them. Band after band, followed by weary men trudging to the railroad stations passed down the streets at intervals during the evening. "Home, Sweet Home" was the usual selection, and the crowds which still fill the streets shouted goodby after the departing comrades.

The last function on the long programme of events was a reception of officers and chairmen of the women's citizens' committee at women's headquarters at 8 o'clock. The commander in chief's headquarters were closed at 9 o'clock, and by 9:30 the adjutant general's office was dark. The bugle of the encampment might well have sounded "lights out."

Yesterday's session lasted from 9:15 o'clock in the morning until 3:45 o'clock in the afternoon without intermission. Opening under the order of business, the encampment took up the election of senior vice commander in chief. Comrade Alfred Lyth of Bidwell Wilkeson post of this city was placed in nomination by Major A. K. Smith, the commander of his post, and was elected unanimously, there being no other nomination.

The election of a junior vice commander in chief was not accomplished until after noon, there being four candidates and several interruptions to the proceedings of the encampment by speeches and the admission of a committee from the Woman's Relief corps.

### Voting For Officers.

On the first ballot F. B. Allen of Connecticut, the candidate of the naval veterans, led, with G. W. Carpenter of South Dakota, second; C. L. Knapp of Kansas, third; D. E. Ross of Delaware, fourth, and J. B. Cummings of Oklahoma, fifth.

There was evidently no desire to contest the election beyond the first ballot, as on the second the delegates began going over to Mr. Allen rapidly, and before the roll call had been completed the adjutant general was instructed to cast the vote of the encampment for him.

Dr. David Mackay of Dallas was elected surgeon general unanimously, and Rev. Frank C. Bruner of the First Methodist church of Chicago was in like manner elected chaplain in chief.

Post Commander in Chief Walker of Illinois was presented with a silver service by the encampment, the address being made by William M. Olin of Boston. A committee of women from the Woman's Relief corps was admitted to the hall and presented the convention with several beautiful floral emblems and made a brief report of the work of the Woman's Relief corps for the past year.

Mrs. Woodley, national president of the army nurses, was also admitted to the convention. Mrs. Lewis, Mother Randolph of California, 82 years old, the oldest army nurse living, and Mrs. William Scott, who spoke for the colored veterans who were unable to attend the encampment.

### Reports Favorably Considered.

Among the reports receiving favorable consideration in the executive session of the encampment was that of the pension committee. It recommended a readjustment of widows' pensions and presented a form of proof and application in pension claims substantially the same as that embodied in the Pickler bill, which has passed the national house of representatives, but has not passed the senate.

The report stated that the present commissioner of pensions had consented to adopt new rules, substantially the same as those in force during the Harrison administration. The report also recommended that congress pass a service pension law to apply to all veterans who have reached the age of 62 years.

The report of the committee having in charge the memorializing of congress to purchase several of the most important battlefields about Fredericksburg, Va., and connect them by government roads was adopted.

The invitation of the Young Men's Business association of Richmond to hold the encampment of 1898 in that city was received and thanks extended and the association informed that the question could only be considered by the encampment of 1898. Another committee reported favorably the proposition to establish national parks at the battlefields of Vicksburg, Stony river and Appomattox.

The report of the committee on text books used in the public schools was adopted. The report deals severely with some of the histories used in the south, charging that they misstate the facts as to the cause of the rebellion and present them from a southern view point.

A regret is expressed that, after an examination of all the histories used in the states that were loyal to the government, in the opinion of the committee none merits the unqualified endorsement of the organization. The report closes with the following recommendations:

First.—That this encampment urge the continued agitation of the question of improved text books in our schools that relate to the history of the United States, especially as to the events of the war of the rebellion.

Second.—That the national encampment authorizes the appointment of a permanent committee on the subject of

teaching patriotism in our schools, which shall make a report each year.

Third.—That it be urged upon each department of the G. A. R. and recommended to the Women's Relief corps, the Sons of Veterans and all allied organizations that they give direct and persistent attention to the selection of proper text books for use in our schools and the exclusion therefrom of such as are improper.

### Drowned Body Identified.

Sandy Hook, N. J., Aug. 28.—The body that was towed in from a wreck off this place has been identified as that of Archibald Stalker of Elizabeth.

### THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Its Ravages Are Seriously Increasing In Bombay.

Bombay, Aug. 28.—Advices from Poona are to the effect that the ravages of the bubonic plague are increasing seriously, and the Kirkee bazaar has been closed entirely. Professor Haffine, who some time ago contracted the disease in a mild form while conducting experiments for the discovery of a preventive for it, is innoculating the people at Kirkee with the preventive virus.

A detail of officers and men is conducting a house to house visitation in the city. The segregation camp is full, and the cantonment camp has been re-opened.

### Alleged Postoffice Robber.

Mine Center, Ont., Aug. 28.—William Hostetter has been arrested by Canadian officials at Belle City, a mile from here, and turned over to a United States postoffice inspector from Denver, charged with the robbery of the Denver postoffice a year ago. Hostetter came to Mine Center five months ago and invested in gold mines here, living quietly with his wife at one of the hotels. He is well known in Denver and kept a saloon in Colorado Springs about two years ago. He was one of the owners of the town site of Havre, Mont., and was regarded here as a man of means and good character. He will be extradited at once and taken to Denver.

### Killed by a Fall From a Scaffold.

Flock Island, Ills., Aug. 28.—By a fall of a scaffold C. J. W. Schreiner, a contractor; W. H. Willis and John Lowe, bricklayers, and Joe Crudup, a colored bed carrier, were precipitated from the third story of a new building to the stone sidewalk. Willis died within ten minutes. Schreiner received a cut about the temple and internal injuries. Lowe and Crudup were fearfully bruised. It is believed all will die.

### Americans Were Not Snubbed.

Toronto, Aug. 28.—The dispatch from Cleveland regarding the complaint of several scientists that they had been snubbed by the members of the British Science Association at its meeting here was shown to some of the members of the local committees, who, of course, denied that any courtesy had been shown to Americans. If the Americans had felt aggrieved, they said, they had not shown it while here.

### Crude Oil to Keep Down Dust.

Philadelphia, Aug. 28.—The Pennsylvania Railroad company intends to sprinkle crude oil on various parts of its system so as to prevent the rising of dust, which has been a source of complaint to all managers of railroads for a number of years. Early in the season the company began experimenting with the sprinkling of oil on the roadbed, and it has proved satisfactory.

### An Important Decision.

Albany, Aug. 28.—In response to a question from the superintendent of public works as to whether in case the lowest bidder on a piece of work for which proposals have been asked should submit a bid that is unbalanced his proposition could be rejected and the contract awarded to the next lowest bidder, the attorney general decided that this may be done.

### A New Explosive.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Metal, a new explosive which its inventors claim will revolutionize modern naval warfare, was tested in Lake Michigan with satisfactory results. A brass cylinder measuring 4 by 16 inches, and loaded with the new explosive, was thrown into the water. At the depth of five feet it exploded, sending a column of water 20 feet into the air.

### Tramps at a Wedding.

Holgate, O., Aug. 28.—Fifteen armed tramps surprised and captured the farmhouse of John P. Williams, where Miss Williams and Frank Collins were to have been married. The tramps drove the family and guests out, devoured the bridal supper and ransacked the house. All valuables were taken, even the coat of Mr. Williams that contained the marriage license.

### Sentenced For Abduction.

Bath, Me., Aug. 28.—Charles H. Blackford of Bowdoin, who was found guilty of abduction and a more serious crime, of which Myrtle F. Adams of Bowdoin, 15 years of age, was the victim, has been sentenced to serve three years at hard labor in Thomaston state prison.

### Insane Banker Recovered.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—John L. Tollant, the San Francisco banker who became violently insane last Saturday while journeying to New York and was removed to a sanitarium at Geneva, Wis., on his arrival in Chicago from the west Monday, is reported to be entirely recovered.

### Ogden Goelz Dead.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Aug. 28.—Mr. Ogden Goelz of New York is dead. He expired on board his yacht, the Mayflower. Mr. Goelz had been ill for two months past, but it was not expected that the illness would result fatally.

## GOLD PROSPECTING.

Useful Information For Would Be Klondike Pilgrims

### DESCRIPTION OF A DRY PROCESS.

This May Be a Very Useful Method of Panning the Precious Metal, as There Is liable to Be a Scarcity of Water.

New York, Aug. 28.—Harry P. Woodward, author of the "Gold Miner's Handbook," gives the following instructions upon prospecting and panning in the Klondike region:

"The dirt, when first introduced into the dish," he says, "is puddled and washed until the whole is free and the water remains clear, all the clayey matter having been washed away. Then the dish is again filled with water and agitated with a circular motion, holding the dish level at first, but gradually inclining it to the side on which there is a little groove in the rim, allowing the water to overflow, after which all upper coarser materials is scraped off with the hand. This process is repeated several times, until only a small quantity of fine, heavy dirt is left, when it is finished by dipping the side of the dish under water and carefully hoisting or running off all the lighter matter, the gold being so much heavier, if present, will hang back on the dish or in the little ledge in the rim.

"This washing is very simple when once the knack is acquired, but the knowledge of the class of country to prospect and to be able to tell bottom when obtained are matters of experience.

### Dry Blowing Process.

"Owing to the scarcity of water in this country washing is rarely possible, so that 'dry blowing' has to be resorted to. In this process two dishes are required and often a cross riddle. The dirt is first either sifted or the large stones picked out. Then, having chosen an airy position, the operator places an empty dish at his feet, while the full one he raises above his head, gradually discharging its contents in such a manner into the one on the ground that the wind carries away to one side beyond the dish all the dust and lighter material. This process is repeated several times, and the larger stones picked out until the dirt is reduced to a small compass, when the dirt is blown much in the same way as in washing, and the upper lighter material either brushed off with the hand or blown off by the mouth, when the gold will be found at the bottom of the dish.

"This process, of course, is not nearly so perfect as washing, and a great deal of the fine gold is lost; but when water is scarce it has proved a good substitute for washing.

"Although gold is often found in payable quantities in highly metamorphic country, where mica slates, mica and hornblende schist replace the clay slates, still there is always a character about it that a gold digger of any experience would never pass over, although it is impossible to attempt to describe. It may, however, be taken as a general rule that gold in payable quantities is very rarely found among hard crystalline granite rocks, and when it does occur it is associated with a great deal of pyrites. The presence of gold may generally be determined by pulverizing the stone and working it in the same manner as alluvial wash dirt.

### Occurs In Bunches.

"The mineral in a lode does not, as a rule, run uniformly rich all through, but occurs in what are called shoots or bunches, while other portions are quite barren. These shoots or bunches are very similar, and can, as a rule, be traced with the greatest ease after a little study, as they are found to be in a similar manner in all veins of one series in a district.

"To understand this thoroughly seems at first a little complicated, as miners speak of the lode dipping, say north, and the shoot west, but this can be demonstrated at once by taking a sheet of paper and drawing a line across it from the top right hand corner to the bottom left hand. Call the right hand side the east, and the line will represent the shoot; now raise the paper first vertically in front of you, keeping the east in the right hand, and, as you are naturally facing the north, let the paper incline over toward you, this now gives you an inclined plane dipping north, with line to represent a rich shoot dipping west.

"True veins do not generally follow the strike of the rocks, and there is more chance of finding this class of lode permanent in depth than interbedded lodes, although the latter, in some instances, are also true lodes; but, as a rule, these latter are of very variable size and often pinch out."

### Maxim Gun For Gold Steamer.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—A rapid fire maxim gun for the protection of the gold of returning Klondikers has been received at Chicago. It is en route for Seattle, Wash., where it will be placed in position on the steamer Portland. Fifty rounds of ammunition accompanied the gun. It will be placed in a position on the vessel where it can be used on a possible pirating vessel or to sweep the decks of the Portland in case of mutiny. "We do not expect either of these uses for the gun," said W. W. Weare of the North American Transportation company, "but it is just as well to be prepared, and men who have washed the yellow stuff out of the ice and snow in Alaska will feel safer in having a gun aboard."

### Two Guides Killed.

Berne, Switzerland, Aug. 28.—Two guides were killed and an Austrian tourist was seriously injured recently while attempting the ascent of the Jungfrau by being thrown over a precipice by the collapse of a snow cornice.

## CHASE AFTER BRUTE

A Negro Near Kingston, N. Y., Assaults a Little Girl.

### THREATS OF LYNCHING ARE MADE.

When Captured, the Villain Made a Desperate Resistance, but Was Overpowered and Safely Lodged In Jail.

Kingston, N. Y., Aug. 28.—James Deew, the negro who brutally assaulted the 6-year-old daughter of Michael Doody at Hickory Brush, several miles distant from this city, has been captured and is now in jail. He was taken by Special Officer James E. Bradley of Rosendale late yesterday afternoon in the Greenkill woods, where he was hiding. Deew made a fierce fight for liberty, and it was only after a desperate struggle that he was finally overpowered and handcuffed.

Along the officer took his prisoner to Rosendale and arraigned him before Police Justice Brown, who committed him to jail.

The news of the negro's arrest spread quickly, and as the officer emerged from the village courtroom with his prisoner an angry mob was gathered outside, and threats of lynching were heard on all sides. A hoarse murmur arose from the crowd as the negro and his captor started for the depot, and the crowd, which had been joined by many parties of armed cement miners, surged about the two men with shouts of joy that the negro had been found.

The officer drew his revolver and shouted that he would shoot the man that dared lay hands on his prisoner. The crowd followed to the depot quietly. Arriving at the depot there was a rush made by the crowd in an endeavor to gain possession of the negro, but unsuccessfully. Officer Bradley frustrating the attempt by gaining possession of the depot, where he remained with his prisoner until the train moved out, when he brought him to jail here.

### The Victim Delirious.

Mamie Doody, the 6-year-old child who was the victim of the negro's lust, is delirious, and, although her death is not apprehended at present, serious results are feared, as the child was terribly frightened. It was yesterday morning about 10 o'clock that the child, in company with her older sister, was wandering about the hills back of her home searching for berries.

The negro, who was also wandering about the hills, espied them and gave chase. The older girl being fleet of foot escaped the negro, but her little sister was not so fortunate and fell into the negro's clutches. The brute seized her slender throat with his hands as she screamed and choked her nearly insensible.

The older girl, hearing her sister's screams, retraced her steps, and then it was, with his hands about the little girl's throat, that the negro tried to induce her to give herself up to him, saying that he would then let the little girl go. After accomplishing his purpose the negro fled, leaving his unconscious victim lying on the ground. Her sister bore her to her home.

When the news of the outrage was circulated in the community, hundreds of cement miners left their work and, arming themselves, started after the negro, declaring that if they caught him they would hang him. Through the hills about Hickory Brush the searching party scattered, and the woods for several miles were thoroughly searched, but the negro was not found.

### Attacked Other Children.

After his escape the negro made his way across the hills to Rock Lock, a little settlement on the Delaware and Hudson canal back of the cement kilns. There he discovered a party of children picking up firewood, and, running toward them, the negro tried to seize one of them, managing to secure the smallest girl, Nellie Collins, whom he threw to the ground, notwithstanding her screams and cries, and attempted to assault her, but unsuccessfully, as the child's companions made such an outcry that the negro feared detection and fled.

A short distance away, down by a spring, was Mrs. Owen Murray, and the negro, when he reached the spring, also attempted to assault her, but the woman defended herself so well that he was foiled in his design. The husband of Mrs. Murray tried to shoot the negro after his arrest, but was disarmed by the officer.

### Paupers Shipped to Canada.

Lancaster, N. H., Aug. 28.—Considerable confusion was caused in this vicinity when it was learned that two helpless inmates of the county poorhouse, West Stewardson, who had been shipped to Canada to be fed, without means of assistance, had been returned to that institution by the Canadian authorities. It is claimed that this disclosure reveals a practice that has been continued for a long time and that many inmates of the place who have disappeared mysteriously during recent years have thus been sent away and all traces of them lost. It is understood that the Canadian authorities are greatly agitated over the affair and that trouble is likely to result.

### A Strange Snaile.

Lyons, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Frederick Krebs, Jr., of Lock Haven, committed suicide by discharging the contents of a shotgun into his body while alone in a barn. No cause can be given for the act, as he was apparently in the best of health and spirits. He was 20 years of age and unmarried.

### Mill and Depot Burned.

Stillwater Minn., Aug. 28.—Losses amounting to \$75,000 or more was

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Dated August 18, 1897.

MARY E. SCHUBBLE, Administrators.  
 ALBERT H. CORWIN, Administrators.  
 D. F. SWARD, Atty. for Admrs., 25 North St., Middletown, N. Y.

In pursuance of an order made by Hon. John J. Beattie, on the 7th day of May, 1897, notice is hereby given to all creditors and persons having claims against John Perman and Leon Simpson, husband and wife, deceased, late of the town of Orange, in this county, that they are required to present such claims or statements thereof, to the subscriber, the administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at their residence, in said town of Crawford, on or before the 27th day of December, 1897.

Dated June 22d, 1897.  
 CHARLES L. ELWOOD, Attorney for Assignees, VANNAE, WAITS & VAIL, Attorneys for Assignees, 4 East Main St., Middletown, N. Y.  
 Wm. G. THOMAS, Esq.

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Dated April 14th, 1897.

WILLIAM P. MORSE, Administrators.  
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**WEARS A MASK.**

**Mysterious Man Who Works in a Maine Quarry.**  
 A mysterious figure, with an indescribable atmosphere of horror about it, may be seen in a quarry at North Jay, Me., says the New York Journal. It is that of a workman who wears perpetually a black mask. He does his work almost like any other man, but never utters a word. The men move about him and speak to him, and behave as if he differed in no wise from one of them.

But the stranger who sees this silent man with a black mask in place of a face, feels a cold chill run down his back. The few visitors who have seen him will never forget their experience. The truth is that he has no face. His name is John McDonald. Ten years ago, when he was working at his present trade, he fell a victim to a terrible blasting accident.

A shower of broken stone driven by dynamite struck him. His face was literally blown off. Eyes, nose, teeth and a large portion of both jaws were carried away.

A mask of light black material was made for him. It extends from the top of the forehead to the throat, and is strapped on securely in two pieces, above the ears and around the throat.

It serves both to spare the feelings of others and to protect the scar. The mask follows roughly the outlines of a face, leaving depressions for the eyes, a nose and a hole for the mouth. He is able to masticate food slightly with the remains of his jaw.

**FOR PURE FOOD.**

**National Association of State Dairy and Food Departments Elect Officers.**

Detroit, Aug. 28.—The assembled pure food commissioners have at last completed their organization under the name of the National Association of State Dairy and Food departments. At their last meeting the following officers were elected:

J. E. Blackburn of Columbus, O., president; G. L. Flanders of Albany, first vice president; J. A. Lawrence of St. Paul, second vice president; John B. Noble of Hartford, third vice president; E. O. Grosvenor of Michigan, secretary and treasurer.

Resolutions have been adopted urging congress to pass laws placing manufactured food products in original packages under state laws wherever sold.

Harrisburg will probably be selected for next year's meeting.

**Steam Barge Ashore.**

Sackets Harbor, N. Y., Aug. 25.—The steam barge J. F. Parsons, bound from Chaumont to Oswego, ran ashore on the south side of Stony island. The mate came to Sackets Harbor in a small boat to telegraph to Oswego for a tug to come to their assistance. The Parsons is owned and sailed by Captain Frank Phelps of Chaumont and has a capacity of 125 tons.

**Germany Dislikes Our Tariff.**

Berlin, Aug. 25.—Dr. von Holleben, the newly appointed German ambassador to the United States, will take with him to Washington special instructions on tariff matters, with strong arguments in support of the German protest against the Dingley bill.

**Moltke Led the Fanatics.**

London, Aug. 28.—A special dispatch from Bombay says that the mad rallied of Haidah commanded the Afghans who have just captured the British fort in the Khyber pass, which, the dispatch adds, the natives will now keep sealed up.

**More Dauntless Rumors.**

Washington, Aug. 28.—The state department has again received information that the steamer Dauntless is fitting out a filibustering expedition.

**Among Friends.**

Miss Wallflower—That gentleman over there has admired me all the evening. Who is he?

Her Friend—He's a collector of antiquities, dearest.—Tit-Bits.

**Something of a Geologist.**

"Winkles" says he knows what a glacial period is now."

"How is that?"

"He has just been refused by a Boston girl."—Detroit Free Press.

**Happiness Long Drawn Out.**

Jinks (concluding history)—So they married and lived happily ever after. Binks—Separated the day after the wedding, I suppose?—Town Topics.

**The Best Man.**

Arthur—who was the best man at our wedding?

Fred—Her father. He paid the minister, flowers, caterer, music—the whole lousing show.—Town Topics.

**New York Markets.**

**FLOUR**—State and western quiet and lower to sell, city mills patents, \$6.25; 6.15 winter patents, \$5.35-\$5.65; city mills fls, \$5.40-\$5.50; winter straights, \$5.50-\$5.75.

**WHEAT**—No. 2 red wheat under liquation and lower cables, but later rail'd with corn, September, 97c; October, 95c-\$97.50.

**RYE**—Steady, No. 2 western, 59c; 61c; 61c, Butcher.

**CORN**—No. 2 opened easier with wheat, but turned strong on good general buying, September, 35c-\$36c; October, 36c-\$37c.

**OATS**—No. 2 dull but steady; track, white, state, 21c-\$30c; track, white, western, 21c-\$30c.

**PORK**—Firm; old mess, \$9.25-\$9.75; family, \$10.50-\$11.

**LARD**—Firm; prime western steaks, \$2.25 nominal.

**BUTTER**—Firm; state dairy, 16c-\$17c; state creamy, 12c-\$14c.

**CHEESES**—Steady, large, white, 91c; small, white, 89c.

**EGGS**—Firm; state and Pennsylvania, 17c-\$18c; western, 17c.

**SUGAR**—Raw firm; fair refining 34c; centrifugal, 96 test, 33c; refined firm, crushed, 54c; powdered, 54c.

**TURPENTINE**—Firm, 28c-\$29c.

**MOLASSES**—Firm; New Orleans, 23c-\$26c.

**ICE**—Firm, domestic, 41c-\$64c; Japan, 41c-\$14c.

**TALLOW**—Firm, city, 33c-\$34c; bbl. country, 33c.

**HAY**—Quiet; shipping, 45c-\$50c; good to choice, 60c-\$70c.

**INSANITY FROM SHOCK.**

**Nervous Temperaments Become Overstrained.**

The pathetic recital of the experience of the engineer whose reason was shattered by his train running over and killing two men, leads thoughtful persons to the contemplation of the exceeding frailty of humanity and the awful consequences to the sensitive mind of such an accident as that which was the real cause of the collision of two trains.

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**ALL BIRDS NOT GEESE.**

**Decoys Do Not Answer Their Purpose.**

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Their sense of hearing is peculiarly acute, and their instinct enables them instantly to detect the slightest variation in the song of one of their own kind—as is laughably illustrated in the following true story:

A bird catcher, wishing to increase his stock of bullfinches, took out his lamed twigs—i.e., twigs covered with a strongly adhesive preparation, by alighting on which the poor birds were caught like flies on sticky fly-paper—and arranged them in what he considered a promising place. For a decoy he took along a tame bullfinch in a cage. Now it happened that this bird was, for a bullfinch, highly educated—overeducated, in fact. At first the decoy uttered a few natural notes, and its cry attracted several of its kind, who posted themselves at a little distance, watching the bird in the cage with much curiosity. Presently they began to approach, hopping, inch by inch, toward the fatal twigs. But just at this critical moment the trained bullfinch, carried away by the excitement of so interesting an occasion, began to pipe the old country dance known as "Nancy Dawson," and away flew all the intended victims as fast as their wings could carry them.

**A GIRL'S SHREWD PLAN.**

**How She Finds Out a Man's True Nature.**

A captivating girl who carried a lorgnette was talking recently to a party of her friends and her words must have borne weight, for the other girls were listening. When girls are not all talking at once it's a pretty good indication that the one who is thus permitted to monopolize the conversation is saying something worth while. "When I feel that a man is becoming interested in me to the exclusion of other girls," said she of the lorgnette, "I at once put him to a test which is calculated to bring his true nature to the surface. Of course, you all know what posers men are, and how they are on dress parade when the girls are about. Well, my test is this: I make an engagement with him to go off somewhere at eight in the morning. Nine men out of ten will be late. At that hour of the morning a man is usually disagreeable and bafled. He will be unshaven. His breath will be reminiscent of stale tobacco smoke, and possibly of last night's libations. His conversational powers, usually so scintillating at night, you will find to be shorn of their attractions. If you want to look behind the screen of a man's conventionality, put him to this test. If he comes through it under favorable conditions, he will make a good husband. But I've never seen one that could stand the test to my satisfaction, and I've tried it often."

**SALOON STRAWS ARE COSTLY.**

**Particular Care Required in Picking and Shipment.**

"The straws through which we imbibe mint juleps and other supposedly cooling decoctions in summer cost the saloon men about as much as do their free lunches," said a red-faced man who sat at a table in the St. Nicholas cafe slowly sipping a julep through a couple of straws, says the St. Louis Republic. "I just found this out the other day and I have felt sorry for the saloon men ever since, because every fellow who uses a straw feels that it is his duty to destroy it with his drink. The saloon men get their supply of straws from the big glass houses, and the most of these establishments keep a regular force of hands employed all through the summer season cutting and preparing the straws for use. Usually somebody has to be sent to the country to select the straw from the farmer, and then it has to be handled with great care in getting it to the city. This, of course, is an item of expense which must be made out of the saloon men."

**Dismantling Mayence.**

It is stated that the German military authorities have decided to demolish the fortifications and the walls of Mayence, the most strongly fortified city of Germany, which has witnessed so many fierce struggles and historical tragedies.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 28.—Fair; cooler Sunday.

**THE TEMPERATURE.**

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, today:

7 a. m. 70°; 12 m. 82°; 3 p. m. 83°.

SATURDAY AUGUST 28, 1897.

The ups and downs of the speculative wheat market are demoralizing legitimate business. Farmers are afraid to sell their crop for fear they will miss better prices that may be realized later and the flour trade is in a state of chaos, orders given and received one day being canceled the next because of wider fluctuations in the wheat price.

The negro, Depew, who assaulted and nearly killed a six-year-old girl at Hickory Bush, Ulster county, and who then tried to assault a woman, would have been lynched by righteously indignant citizens if he had not been saved by the zeal of super-serviceable constables. For such crimes as this fellow committed the statute law provides no adequate penalties. Such brutes get justice only in Judge Lynch's courts.

According to the *Watchman* the Republican ticket in Sullivan county this year will be: For Sheriff, James A. Fulton, of Mamakating; for Member of Assembly, George McLaughlin, of Thompson; for Superintendent of the Poor, Ezra F. Calkins, of Cocheeton. The selection of Mr. Fulton is not by any means satisfactory to other aspirants for the emoluments of the sheriff's office, but they are put off by the local bosses with the assurance that "O'Dell thinks Fulton ought to have it." Of course this grinds, but what are they going to about it?

**FELL UNDER THE CAR WHEELS**

Herman Bremer Very Badly Injured While Attempting to Board an Erie Train at North Street.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

A young man named Herman Bremer attempted to board a swiftly moving east bound Erie train just west of the North street crossing, at 11:40, this morning, and was thrown under the wheels which passed over his left foot, crushing it so badly that amputation was necessary. He also received a bad cut in the back of the head and sustained a number of bruises.

The injured man was taken to Thrall Hospital where the crushed and mangled foot was amputated, this afternoon, by Dr. Pillsbury, assisted by Drs. Hauber, Stivers and Powelson.

The accident was seen by several persons, among them Alderman Memory, W. K. Bihings, Samuel Beasley and Mrs. George Symington, of Mount Hope. Alderman Memory in describing the accident to an Argus reporter says that Bremer caught the handle of an oil tank car with his left hand and the swift motion of the train jerked him around so that the back of his head struck the car with great force and a moment later he was rolled under the car with his foot across the rail.

A young man of this city named Lorgan, who was with Bremer, swung on the train in safety.

Bremer was formerly employed on the Erie as brakeman. It is said that he had been of late employed as hostler, assisting in the care of Ambulator while on the Orange County Circuit, and was on his way to Goshen when the accident happened.

At the hospital Bremer said that he had been boarding with a family named Crans at the Sunnair.

He stood the operation as well as could be expected and has a good chance of recovering.

**SHOT THROUGH A WINDOW.**

A Newburgh Man Seriously Wounded in His Own Home.

William Glynn went to George L. Kraft's house, 101 Lake street, Newburgh, shortly after midnight last night, and demanded admittance. This was refused, and he then went to a side window and fired two shots into the room. One of the shots took effect in Kraft's body, just below the ribs. Glynn then burst open the front door and went up stairs to bed.

Kraft was taken to the hospital. The extent of his injuries is not known. Glynn was arrested and locked up. He was drunk.

Kraft's house does not bear the best of reputations, and the neighbors have made many complaints concerning it.

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**LATEST BY TELEGRAPH**

ULSTER COUNTY STILL EXCITED

Trouble Feared When Depew, the Assailant of Women and Children, is Arraigned—Constable Bradley's Exciting Ride.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

KINGSTON, Aug. 28.—The excitement over the crime of Joseph Depew, the negro who ran amuck among the mining settlements near here, yesterday, and assaulted women and children, is still at fever heat.

Strong hopes are now entertained for the recovery of little Mamie Dooley as it is thought hysteria, resulting from fright is her most serious injury. Depew has not yet been formally arraigned and trouble is feared when he is taken to Rosendale.

That Depew is alive, to-day, is due alone to the fact that he was a prisoner in the hands of Constable James F. Bradley, whose personal popularity among the miners was sufficient to restrain the mob. Bradley's ride to the railway station was a thrilling experience. He had to pass through several mining villages and at each one the shout, "There he comes," brought the populace to the roadside, women shrieking maledictions and men growling threats and then falling behind the wagon in pursuit.

The date for Depew's arraignment has not yet been set.

**THE CRISIS IN INDIA.**

**News Not of a Hopeful Character—British Forces Gain Some Successes but Peril Menaces Other Points.**

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

SIMLA, Aug. 28.—The latest news from the front is not of a hopeful character.

It is true that the attempted raid on the Kohat district has been repelled and that the Orakzais have taken to the hills. But against these temporary successes of the British must be set the very serious state of affairs prevailing at Quetta in Beluchistan. There is little doubt that if the fort there is attacked the chances of the garrison's safety are slight. The fortifications are practically worthless and the place is said to be inadequately manned.

The situation of the outlying garrisons on the Samana range is, next to Quetta, the centre of interest. In view of the urgent need for reinforcements Col. Gordon, to-morrow, will lead a column of troops through the Kohai pass into the Samana district.

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**GOING to New Paltz Normal School.**

Misses Emma Cornelius Taylor, daughter of Charles Z. Taylor, and Anna Mary McCrea, daughter of Mrs. Mary A. McCrea, who are members of Middletown High School, class of '97, will enter the State Normal School at New Paltz at the opening of the fall term.

**New Teachers Appointed.**

Miss Mamie Van Duzer, who has taught a private school here for several years, has been engaged as teacher at Benton avenue in place of Miss Park, who has been given a year's vacation.

Mrs. Woolsey has been engaged in place of Miss Bruster, who goes to Atlantic Highlands.

**Won a Diamond as a Bowling Prize.**

E. C. Strack is sporting a big diamond which he won as first prize in a bowling contest at his old home on Long Island, this week.

**New Sullivan County Postmasters.**

Among the fourth class postmasters appointed, Friday, were these: Eldred, C. W. Wilson; Fallsburgh, H. S. Holly.

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Most Torturing, Disfiguring,

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Of itching, burning, bleeding, scaly skin and scalp blemishes is instantly relieved by a warm bath with CUTICURA SOAP, a single application of CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure, and a full dose of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of blood purifiers and humor cures.

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One half of it must go. It is large enough for a city of 50,000.

Beginning Monday, Aug. 23d, and ending Saturday, Sept. 4th, the entire stock will be offered as follows:

Tubular Lanterns 23c, Storm Lanterns \$1.98, Decorated Tea Sets \$2.89, Decorated Dinner Sets \$6.79, Tumblers 2 cents each.

25 China Decorated Tea Sets at a discount of 20 to 50 per cent.

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12 Decorated Toilet Sets \$1.48 to \$2.50.

175 Decorated Toilet Sets at a discount of 25 per cent.

\$1.500 worth of Rogers' Silver Plated Ware at a discount of 20 per cent, and every other article in the Crockery Department 20 per cent off.

Terms of Sale—SPOT CASH.

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McMonagle & Rogers, 30 North St.

**HYLER'S CANDIES.** "Fresh every week"—that's what sells them so fast. We never knew how many sweet teeth there were in town until we began to sell Hyler's Candies. Everyone wants them. We have plenty for all at New York prices.

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**TALCUM POWDER** is becoming one of the necessities for comfort in the summer months. Our 10 cent Talcum Powder is the most popular article we have ever put on the market, and why shouldn't it be, since it's equal to the regular 25 cent powders. Either Borated (Perfumed) or Plain (Carbolated) 10 cents per box.

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"**Spratt's Patent Dog Cakes.**"

A staple food for dogs.

**Mapes' Balanced Ration**  
for growing chickens  
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**Christian's Superlative Flour,**

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**Samp, Granulated Wheat  
Flour, Avena, Oat Meal,  
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**DAILY ARGUS.**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 1897.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS**

—Dr. Volk will be in town Thursday, Sept. 2d.—Manyon's Liver Cure. See adv.—Jerome Follette, piano and organ tuner.—Position wanted for nurse girl.—Reliable man wanted.—Three open buggies for sale by Middletown Wagons Co.—Great sale of school supplies at cut prices at Economy Store.—Five rooms to let.—School books sold and exchanged by Hartford Norton.—Chocolate creams 60¢ a pound at W. D. Quay's.—Lady's patent leather shoes \$2.95 at C. D. Haward's.

**LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.**

—Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local news.

—Remember the Orange County Fair.

—"Town Topics" at the Casino, Monday night.

—The Second Presbyteria Church is receiving a coat of paint.

—Lawler plays with Hackensack against the Cuban Giants, to-day.

—Edmund K. Greene, of Rhinebeck, is the guest of his brother, Z. K. Greene.

—The Delaware Valley Agricultural Society has paid \$5,000 for its fair grounds at Walton.

—A peach and ice cream festival will be held at Bethel A. M. E. Church on Thursday evening, Sept. 2.

—The Rev. Philip W. Mosher, of Muskegon, Michigan, will preach in Grace Church, to-morrow morning.

—Don't forget the opening of the Casino, Monday night. "Town Topics" will be the attraction and will undoubtedly be greeted with a crowded house.

—Get up something to exhibit at the Orange County Fair. Remember that your own townsmen are trying to make it a big thing for Middletown, this year, and every year.

—Lizzie Matthews, the Newburgh girl who went to New York for a good time and was found by the police crying in the street was brought back to Newburgh, yesterday, by her uncle.

—"O'Hagan's Wedding" will be the attraction at the Casino, next Thursday night. The merits of this attraction are well known and this will undoubtedly insure a good attendance.

—Charles Wolff, Jr., received by express, this morning, a fine pickerel weighing three pounds, with the compliments of Mr. McHugh, of Hurleyville.

—Franz, the thirteen-year-old son of Fred Dillier, of Matamoras, was wounded in the hand, Thursday, by the accidental discharge of a revolver he was handling.

—The *Gazette* says that President Lindley and a committee from Port Jervis, No. 4, will, in a few days, visit Monaghans, of this city, who are to be their guests on the occasion of the annual parade of the Port Jervis fire department.

—The discovery has just been made that the law passed by the New Jersey Legislature to protect motorists has been bogged in such a way that the railroad companies are required to provide enclosed vestibules from May 1st to November 1st.

—In making your engagements for next week do not forget that the concert on Friday evening, Sept. 3d, is the event for that date. The concert is by the Ladies' Guild of the First Congregational Church and they will be assisted by the church choir and out of town talent. 1d

—**PERSONAL.**

—Cassius Liebman, of Brooklyn, is visiting in town.

—Miss Emma Phillips, of Albany, is visiting friends in Goshen.

—Howard Nelson, of New York, is in town visiting relatives and friends.

—Miss Kate Alexander, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mrs. Kerrigan on Linden avenue.

—Mrs. J. T. Robertson is visiting her husband's sister, Mrs. A. E. Miller, at Paterson.

—Mr. Robshaw, the shoemaker, has recovered from his recent illness and is again at work.

—Miss Mary Finney spent several days this week with friends at Middletown.—*Warden Citizen.*

—Mrs. A. S. Richmond went to Port Jervis, to-day, to spend Sunday with her friend, Mrs. Clark.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. P. Korn went to Englewood, N. J., to-day, to visit Mrs. J. Ed. Brown.

—Mrs. James E. Mapes and Mrs. James G. Irwin, of this city, are visiting relatives in Unionville.

—Supervisor James E. Brazeau, who is now located at Long Island City, arrived in this city, Friday, for a few days' visit.

—Miss Anna E. Gunner went to Lackawaxen, to-day, where she resides at the piano in the Delaware House, to-night.

—Theodore Reinecke, the manager of the Orange County Brewing Company, went to Washington, D. C., on a business trip, to-day.

—W. H. Murray, the popular Manhattan Elevated Railroad man of New York city, returned there, to-day, after a week spent in this city.

—J. A. Mason, of New York, who came here Thursday, to visit his sister-in-law, Mrs. C. G. Hedge, was taken sick soon after his arrival here and is now in a very critical condition.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Boyd have removed to their residence on East Main street, having occupied the Adams' Homestead during the absence of Mr. Adams's family in Europe.

—H. B. Kingsland and family returned, last evening, from Parksville, Sullivan county, where they have been spending a week. Miss C. G. Taylor and children, who were in the party, returned also.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox, of Middletown, have been visiting relatives and friends in this place during the past

week. Mr. and Mrs. Cox have both been under treatment for typhoid fever at Thrall Hospital for over six weeks. They were at one time during their illness in a precarious condition, but are now about fully recovered.—*Warden Citizen.*

—Mrs. Thomas Gordon and son, Haynor, left this morning for Quogue, L. I., to join Rev. Dr. Gordon, who is enjoying a vacation at that resort. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Tompkins have also gone to the same place for a few days' outing. Dr. Mills and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Wilcox are also there.

—**THE GOSHEN RACES.**

—**A Fair Attendance, Friday—Interesting Contests—A Collision in the 2:25 Pacing Class—Last Day of the Meeting.**

When the horses were first called out, Friday afternoon, at Goshen, it looked very much as if the Association was to experience a "frost" on that hot August day. The conditions changed wonderfully, however, and by 2:30 o'clock, the grand stand was well filled, and the regulars estimated 2,500 people on the grounds.

The races were well contested, save perhaps the 2:25 class race, in which Neil Alcyone had no trouble in leaving the others behind. There was some excitement during this race when Watchman, owned by Coates Brothers, of Goshen, and driven by Decker, of Newton, put his foot through Rattrail's wheel, Shreeve driving. The wheel was a complete wreck, but fortunately Watchman got his foot out quickly, and Rattrail, noble horse, stopped and stood still, while Shreeve, sat over his heels, in great danger had the horse been of vicious temperament. Stable hands helped Shreeve to alight and lead Rattrail off the track. Both horses were disengaged, but they were allowed to start again.

The talent was worsted by Myrtle Boy, who sold in pools of \$23 for \$1, before the race, and by Edward G., who is a full brother to Bumjo.

The summary is as follows:

2:25 Class—Tot., Purse \$200.

Myrtle Boy, b. dr. (Liponecot)... 7 1 1 1

Spicer Girl, br. m. (Whitaker)... 1 3 4 2

McLaughlin, Meld. b. m. (Moser)... 2 2 2 2

Kirk, b. m. (Kirk)... 2 4 3 2

Newport, br. (Sheld)... 2 5 6 2

Creeping Flower, b. g. (Thomas)... 10 5 6 2

Hurricane, b. g. (Bittling)... 5 7 6 2

Norris, b. br. (Kane)... 4 3 dr

Ozora, b. g. (Gibson)... 6 11 dr

Franz P., b. g. (Gibson)... 11 11 dr

Time—2:14, 2:15, 2:17, 2:21 1/2.

2:15 Class—Tot., Purse \$50.

Ambulator, b. m. (Thomas)... 2 1 1 1

Grace, b. m. (Hartford)... 1 3 5 2

Katherine, b. m. (Murray)... 5 2 2 2

Milbrae, b. m. (Howell)... 3 4 3 2

Joe Nelson, g. (Valentine)... 4 5 4 2

Time—2:14, 2:15, 2:17.

2:20 Class—Tot., Purse \$500.

Notch, b. m. (Holmes)... 1 1 1 1

Albertine, b. m. (Rock)... 1 2 4 2

Watchman, b. g. (Decker)... 6 6 6

Battler, b. g. (Shreeve)... 7 4 5 2

Blue Bird, br. m. (Bremerton)... 5 6 6

Zeta C., b. m. (Murray)... 4 6 6

Time—2:13, 2:14, 2:15.

2:25 Class—Tot., Purse \$100.

Edward G., b. g. (Kenney)... 1 1 1 1

Geo. W. Le-Jet, b. m. (Thomas)... 2 2 2

Palatina, ch. f. (Tripp)... 1 1 1 1

Reindeer, b. m. (Coat)... 1 1 1 1

Steel, b. m. (Barb)... 1 1 1 1

Time—2:13, 2:14, 2:15.

THIS AFTERNOON'S EVENTS

The attendance, this afternoon, is larger than yesterday. It is estimated that there are about 3,000 people on the grounds. There is a circus in town but it has evidently not proved a drawing card as against the races.

Among the prominent persons present and occupying seats in Mr. Harriman's box are:

J. D. Peyster Foster, Dr. John Green, ex-Mayor Hugh J. Grant, Marcus Daly, of Montana, and J. Malcolm Forbes, of Boston, the owner of Nowaday, one of the contestants in the \$7,500 two-year-old stakes.

2:18 CLASS TROTTING.

Thelma was the favorite at first, selling at \$10. Lady Carlisle \$7, Dr. Robinson \$6 and the field at \$3. In later pools Lady Carlisle was the favorite, selling at \$10 and Thelma for \$7.

In the first heat Dr. Robinson had the pole and led all the way around, Lady Carlisle second, Nomad third, Thelma fourth and Bright Heart fifth. Time 2:17.

In the second heat Lady Carlisle was first, Dr. Robinson second, Nomad third, Bright Heart fourth and Thelma fifth. Time 2:15.

\$7,500 TWO-YEAR OLD STAKE.

In the special \$7,500 stake for two-year-olds, Nowaday sold for \$10, Marcus Daly's Lime Creek \$8. Mr. Harriman asked his friends not to bet on Elsie S., as she is not in condition.

Elsie S. drew first position and led to the half mile. She broke on the third turn and was passed by Limerick, who won the heat. Nowaday third. Time 2:29.

A FATHER'S FEARS.

A MIDDLETON MAN THINKS THAT HIS SON MAY HAVE BEEN KILLED AT NEWBURGH JUNCTION.

Charles Beyea, of this city, fears that the young man killed at Newburgh Junction, Thursday, may be his son George, aged twenty-one, who left here June 19th. He wrote home once from Ohio, and was in Norwich Aug. 19th at the fire parade. The description of the man killed at Turners does not fit young Beyea, but his father is very uneasy about him, and unless definite information comes in answer to Coroner Becker's inquiry at the Buffalo address found on the body, will go to Highland Mills and take a look at the corpse.

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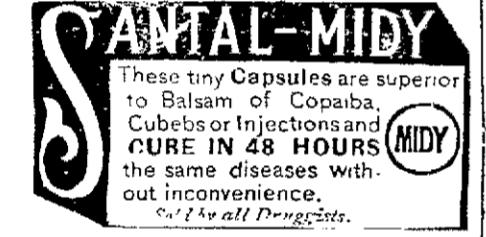
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good night's sleep? And what's the best way  
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Oh, every little birdie, don't pass up  
the heat!

Am I your boy as ours is, from morn to  
evening, with a cold? Is there a time when just  
now it feels like "swat"? And is there so very suffer heat and dust  
and cold? One day is quite enough to cause my  
my shirt?

And when in day is chilly does the  
man leave a hat? And just a tiny bit of lee when days are  
simply raw? And when you're head'd with a high  
fever drops a few hairs anyone inquire: "Is it hot enough  
for you?"

And is there real good fishing in your lakes  
still unexhausted? And by the by, what do they ask for first-  
class sun-bather? We do not like the earth real well, its heat  
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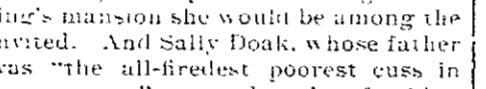
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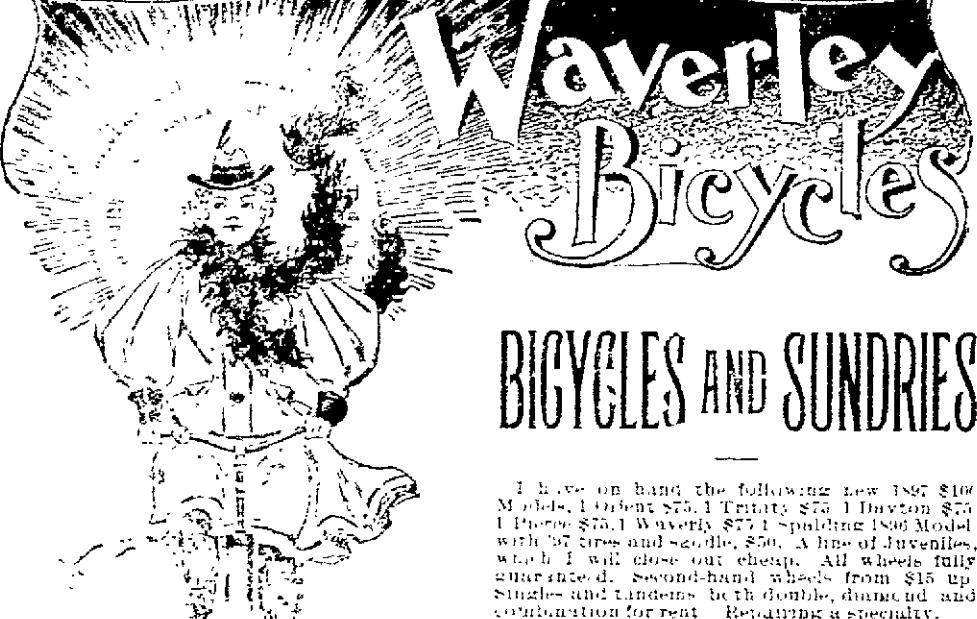
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"He gathered it together."

"But you?"

"Oh," sadly, "they gathered me together, too." — Philadelphia North American.

## Good Pay.

"Of course you'll give me one little kiss before I go," he pleaded.

She looked at him intently for a minute and sighed.

"It's pretty high pay," she replied, "but if you will go early enough I suppose I'll have to call it a bargain."

He gave his entire attention for nearly five minutes to the consideration and interpretation of this answer, and then left in a hurry and without making any attempt to collect.—Chicago Post.

## Qualified for the Place.

Kitty—Miss Antique has searched in vain for employment.

Jack—I would think she could secure a place in a second-hand book store.

Kitty—Why?

Jack—She's a back number.—Up-to-date.

## Painfully False.

"I have been told," said she, as they sat in a shady corner of the porch, "that you have rather a grasping disposition."

"You don't believe it, do you?"

"Dear me, no. I have never seen you exhibit the least sign of catching on." —Indianapolis Journal.

## A Bit of Experience.

First Charity Visitor—They can't be so very poor.

Second Charity Visitor—What makes you think so?

First Charity Visitor—Why, they only keep three dogs.—Somerville Journal.

## Between the Acts.

She (who has seen the play before)—His great scene is in the next act. He feels remorse for having killed the old man—

He—Doesn't he feel remorse for not having killed the rest of the cast?—Puck.

## How It Looks to Him.

"Come up to my house to-morrow night," said Hepzibah. "I'm going to celebrate my golden wedding."

"Golden weddin'! Why, man, you've only been married three years."

"I know it; but it seems like 50; so everything is all right!"—Tit-Bits.

## A Time Killer.

Blinks—Summering in Lonetville, eh? I don't see what you do there to pass the time.

Jinks—Oh, time passes quickly enough when I think of the board I am paying.—N. Y. Weekly.

## No Exception.

Wife—It does seem hard when a woman marries she has to take her husband's name.

Husband—Well, she takes everything else he's got, why leave that out?—Judy.

## A Mistake Somewhere.

Bobby (puzzled)—I thought God made everybody?

Sunday School Teacher—Why, he did, Bobby.

Bobby—Well, anyway, pa calls sis a "tailor-made" girl.—N. Y. Journal.

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But she, without a thought of jest, said "Russian Violet suits me best."

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## Serious.

She—Good gracious, George! run for the doctor. Baby has swallowed your latchkey.

He—That's bad. It might cause lockjaw.—Up-to-date.

## Why She Loves the Sea.

Dora—Why does Miss Yellowleaf want to go sea all of a sudden?

Cora—She read that the captains of the transatlantic liners made about 20 knots an hour.—Town Topics.

## A Counter Irritant.

"Were those cough creeps beneficial?"

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## The Whole Thing.

Mrs. Johnson—What part ab de fowl does yo laik bes', pison?

Parson Mokey—I nebba has my chicken cut up in parts, Mrs. Johnson—Judge.

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From the Port Jervis Gazette

Patrick Kiernan, of Port Orange, near Westbrookville, N. Y., is in Goshen jail, charged with attempting to shoot Harry Weiser, with whose wife, it is alleged, he had been too intimate.

On May 5 of this year, Harry Weiser, an industrious mechanic employed by Malven & Gordon Co., married Agnes Finnegan, of this village, but formerly of Middletown, and he at once took his bride to a newly furnished home at No. 144 Front street. The weeks slipped by very pleasantly and there seemed to be great affection between husband and wife, but on July 5, while at a picnic at Bullville, near Middletown, a young man named Patrick Kiernan, of Port Orange, but employed in the Middletown saw works, paid a great deal of attention to Mrs. Weiser. Kiernan had been a guest at the wedding and was an old friend of the bride. Kiernan made frequent visits to Port Jervis and met Mrs. Weiser and by arrangement they went to Shohola together. All this time the affections between husband and wife were getting more and more estranged, but Mr. Weiser did not have any opportunity to see Kiernan and demand an explanation of his visits.

Thursday night, however, Weiser heard that Kiernan was in town with a friend named J. Doty and when he heard that the two young men and Mrs. Weiser and her friend, Miss Annie Ferry, of Verplanck, were promenading the streets together, he, in company with his brother, Alfred, and James Lindley went to meet them. This they did at about 9 o'clock on Church street near the school house. Mr. Weiser stepped up to Kiernan and said with some profanity, "You're a d--- nice fellow to come and break up a man's home." The next instant Kiernan pulled a revolver and pointed it at Weiser, who grabbed him with his right hand and knocked him down with his left. A scuffle followed, in which Weiser struck Kiernan three times or more to shoot, but each time the cartridges failed to explode. Kiernan was badly used up and his revolver was taken away by Weiser.

In the meantime Mr. Weiser and Lindley were attacked by Doty, who also drew a revolver, but before he could use it Lindley knocked it out of his hand. In the darkness Doty succeeded in escaping and has not been seen since.

Henry held his man while messengers were sent for policemen, and in a short time Eugene Bateman had his impets on Kiernan and he was locked in the jail. The two women went home after the fracas.

Kiernan was arraigned, Friday morning, and held for the Grand Jury on a charge of assault in the first degree. He claims that the meeting with the women was a chance one. Application for admission to bail will be made to County Judge Beattie.

## "O'HOLIGAN'S WEDDING."

Made a Big Hit When Produced at Paterson.

From the Paterson Morning Call

The successful production of the large comedy, "O'Hooligan's Wedding," at the Opera House, last evening, proved a huge success. Unlike the average large comedy there is a plot to this. George West and Willis Lowe, comedians, succeeded in bringing out all the good points in a capital manner. The first and third acts are pure comedy and musical recitation abounding in funny situations, while the second serves to introduce these specialties. George West, Dutch comedian, and Willis Lowe, Irish comedian, certainly pleased the audience in their different witty repartees and were encores repeatedly. Miss Jessie Fowler, in her clever songs and dances, was also heartily received. The choruses were exceptionally good. "O'Hooligan's Wedding" certainly made a big hit.

This clever little comedy will be given here at the Casino next Thursday evening.

## BITTLIN BY A SNAKE

Put His Hand in a Hole After a Rabbit and the Snake Bit It.

Lloyd Garrison, of Port Jervis, was out with some running dogs on a hill near Germantown Friday, when a rabbit started and ran into a hole. Mr. Garrison put his hand in the hole to catch the rabbit and was bitten by a snake. He hurried home and a physician dressed his hand and arm, applied a great salve and his condition for a time was very critical. It is supposed that the snake was a rattler but this is not definitely known.

## IS NOW A GRANDFATHER.

Uncle Dan Lamont will have to admit now that he is getting old. He became a grandfather Friday, when a daughter was born to his daughter, Mrs. W. Watson, at Poyntell, Pa. Uncle Dan has been receiving congratulations lately.

## THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but a few cents it from coffee. It does not cost one fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. Price ten cents and 25 cents per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN O.

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## COWIN FAMILY REUNION:

Held at Ross Park, Binghamton, Aug. 25th and largely attended.

The annual reunion of the Cowin family at Ross Park, Binghamton, Aug. 25, was largely attended by the members of that stable family. About 125 sat down to a deliciously prepared dinner and at its close a business meeting was held, when the following officers were elected.

President—S. Wells Cowin.  
First Vice Pres.—J. H. Cowin.  
Second Vice Pres.—Dudley Cowin.

Secretary—Mrs. C. A. Graham.  
Treasurer—L. E. Cowin.

After the meeting congratulatory speeches were made by Alfred Cowin, of New Milford; Selah R. Cowin, of Middletown; Dudley Cowin and T. L. Cowin, of Cortland; Ezra and Cortland Cowin, of Blodgett's Mills; S. B. Cowin and C. R. Williams, of Binghamton.

It was decided to hold the next reunion the fourth Wednesday of August.

## RETURNED FROM THE BUFFALO EXCURSION.

Alderman W. C. P. Bastian, Chris. Klohs, John Miles and Alexander Merritt returned from their Buffalo trip Friday night. They do not know where the balance of the party is.

## WISE MEN KNOW

It is folly to build upon a poor foundation, either in architecture or in health. A foundation of sand is insecure and toadden symptoms by narcotics or nerve compounds is equally dangerous and deceptive. The true way to build up health is to make your blood pure, rich and nourishing by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

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WANTED a reliable man to sell out of old fashioned Toffee, Coffees, Sodas, Baking Powder, etc. in Middletown and vicinity. We have houses and wings ready for business. Ad dress with references.

GRANITE UNION TEA CO., No. 51 Water St., Middletown, N. Y.

SELLER OF CAFE DE MAGNIFICA, freshly prepared and sold in new style, patent stopper cups, etc. The price is 25c. Same can be had in either regular size bottles at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

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You should have that music and lot of ladies' periodicals

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## PUBLIC VOICE.

BT DUNNINGBURGH, Aug. 28, 1897.

EDITOR ARGUS—I—Having been informed that interested parties have represented that in the event of a certain appointment to the office of postmaster being appointed to succeed me as postmaster at this place, I will be retained in the office as deputy postmaster, I desire to say that my connection with the office will cease upon the appointment and qualification of my successor.

[Signed] THOS. W. LOW.

## INJURED AT A PICNIC.

From the Sullivan County Record

Harold, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harding, of Middletown, fell and dislocated his elbow while attending a picnic with his mother at Callicoon Depot on Friday.

## ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

D. R. FRANCIS VALK will be at Dr. T. D. Mills' office, Thursday, Sept. 2d. Itw&usat

JEROME FOLLETTE, Piano and Organ Teacher. The tone and structure required for piano playing are taught at 75c per month. Address Jerome Follette, Room 1, Stern's Building, North St., Middletown, N. Y. 2d&4th flrs.

WANTED—A position as Nurse Girl

1st class. Enquire at this office.

WANTED—Reliable man to open small general store and handle my goods. Position permanent. Stamp and refer me.

A. F. MORRIS, care this paper.

TO LET to a poor worthy family—Five rooms, cedar, garret, city water, at low price.

CHESTER BELLDING

THE Misses Porter's English and Classical Boarding and Day School will be open Sept. 15th. Esq. 2d flr. C. S. Zettler Sept. 2d.

\$2.50 REWARD will be given for information leading to the arrest and conviction of parties tearing out date or tampering with gate at the Rock Pond.

DEWEY & CUMMINGS

7,200 Lead Pencils

Regular Lead 2d stock, each slightly imperfect.

2d stock, Envelopes to match, 7c a box, the 12c per dozen, TWO CENTS.

FOUR Apartments, of four rooms each, and store, suitable for any business, on Cottage street. Enquire of P. DOUGHERTY. 2d flr.

FOUR SALES—Blacksmith tools and stock. Low rent for shop. Good chores for right man.

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